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TITLE : COLOR ELECTROPHOTOGRAPHIC IMAGE RECEIVING MATERIAL

ABSTRACT : PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To form a toner reflective image excellent in whiteness by specifying an L^* value in CIE 1976 ($L^*a^*b^*$) color space and a value represented by $(a^*)^2+(b^*)^2$.

SOLUTION: The color electrophotographic image receiving material has at least one toner image receiving layer containing a thermoplastic resin on the substrate. The L^* value of the image receiving material in CIE 1976 ($L^*a^*b^*$) color space is ≥ 91 and the value represented by $(a^*)^2+(b^*)^2$ is 0-10. Preferably the L^* value is 91 to <93 and the value represented by $(a^*)^2+(b^*)^2$ is 0-2, or the L^* value is 93 to <96 and the value represented by $(a^*)^2+(b^*)^2$ is 0-4, or the L^* value is ≥ 96 and the value represented by $(a^*)^2+(b^*)^2$ is 0-10. One or more optical whitening agents are preferably contained in one of the constituent layers including the toner image receiving layer.

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